

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
NORTHERN DIVISION**

OLIVIA Y., et al.,)
Plaintiffs,)
v.)
TATE REEVES, as Governor of the) 3:04-CV-251-HSO-FKB
State of Mississippi, et al,)
Defendants.)

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

COMES NOW, W. Wayne Drinkwater, Jr., and moves for leave to withdraw as one of the counsel for Plaintiffs in this action. Movant is now phasing out of active law practice and this motion is part of a larger effort to withdraw from all matters in which he now appears as counsel of record. Plaintiffs and plaintiffs' class are adequately represented by existing counsel Marcia R. Lowry, Anastasia Benedetto, Jonathan Borle, and by Michael J. Bentley as local counsel. Movant is authorized to represent to the Court that Plaintiffs' remaining counsel do not object to the present motion.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this 2nd day of September, 2022.

/s/ W. Wayne Drinkwater, Jr.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 2, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will deliver copies to all counsel of record.

/s/ W. Wayne Drinkwater, Jr.
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